

# City of Torrance



## *Election History*

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# CITY OF TORRANCE ELECTION HISTORY

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INFORMATION IS PRESENTED IN REVERSE CHRONOLOGICAL ORDER

Year	Date	Type	Registered*	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>2012</b> Presidential Primary	<b>June 5</b> RES. 2012-30 ADPT. MAR 20, 2012  INSTALLED RES. 2012-60 JULY 10, 2012	<b>Regular</b> (CONSOLIDATED) GENERAL MUNICIPAL CANCELLED - NO MORE CANDIDATES THAN OFFICES TO BE FILLED	<b>78,213</b>	<b>Ballots cast</b>  <b>19,206</b>	<b>County</b>  <b>24.56%</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
COUNCIL SENIORITY BASED ON 2008 ELECTION		Gene Barnett* *appointed 2007 to replace McIntyre Susan Rhilinger Pat Furey			N/A			

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<b>2010</b> Gubernatorial Primary	<b>June 8</b> RES. 2010-64 ADPT. JUL 13	<b>Regular</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>77,664</b>	<b>26,041</b>	<b>33.5%</b>	<b>16,568</b>	<b>9,473</b>	<b>57%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Frank Scotto 18,480			N/A			
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Bill Sutherland 14,212 Cliff Numark 13,671 Tom Brewer 13,084			Dick Browning 7,466			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Sue Herbers 15,609			N/A			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Dana Cortez 12,129			Steve Groom 6,011			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
MEASURE A SHOULD SECTION 510 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE BE AMENDED TO CHANGE THE DATE OF HOLDING THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO THE LAST TUESDAY IN APRIL OF EACH EVEN NUMBERED YEAR?					Yes 10,345 No 10,451			



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2008 <small>Presidential Primary</small>	June 6 RES. 2008-88 ADPT. JUL 1	Regular (CONSOLIDATED)	73,722	21,072	25.5%	13,187	7,905	59.9%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Susan Rhilinger	9,413	Gavin Hachiya Wasserman	6,496			
		Gene Barnett	8,234	Tim Goodrich	6,091			
		Pat Furey	7,300	Kurt Weideman	5,863			
		Cliff Numark	7,218	Rod Guyton	5,554			
				Mike Mauno	3,686			
				David Ouwerkerk	2,313			
				Donald “Don” Pyles	1,845			
				Charles M. Deemer	1,504			
				Ricky Bhavnani	798			
				S. “Sam” Bhavnani	570			
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
MEASURE T		Yes	10,716					
SHALL AN ORDINANCE BE ADOPTED TO RATIFY AND UPDATE TORRANCE'S EXISTING TELEPHONE UTILITY USERS' TAX, TO CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN SUCH ESSENTIAL CITY SERVICES AS POLICE, FIRE, STREET REPAIR, PARKS, LIBRARIES, RECREATION PROGRAMS AND OTHER SERVICES THAT ARE PRESENTLY PAID FOR FROM THE CITY'S GENERAL FUND; PROVIDED THAT THE PRESENT TAX RATE WILL NOT CHANGE; LOW-INCOME SENIORS AND DISABLED PERSONS WILL REMAIN EXEMPT; AND INDEPENDENT ANNUAL AUDITS WILL BE REQUIRED?		No	8,346					

Year	Date		
<b>2007</b>	<b>June 26</b>		
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>	<b>Candidates Not Appointed</b>
RESIGNATION OF PAT MCINTYRE JUNE 2, 2007  APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 6/26/2007		Gene Barnett	Julia Abreu-Mason Salem "Sam" Charry Charles Michel Deemer Peter A. Donnellan Christopher Graue Regina Horton Charles Leone G. Rick Marshall Mike Mauno Cliff Numark David Ouwerkerk Susan Rhilinger Richard Tsao Kurt Weideman

Year	Date		
<b>2006</b>	<b>Aug. 8</b>		
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>	<b>Candidates Not Appointed</b>
FRANK SCOTTO ELECTED MAYOR JUNE 6, 2006, INSTALLED 7/11/06 VACATING COUNCIL SEAT  GENE DREVNO APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 8/08/2006		Gene Drevno	Richard T. Browning (w) George Ciampa William Cook Robert R. Cupery Charles Michel Deemer Linda England Michael Griffiths Rod Guyton VJ Hirsch Harvey Horwich (w) Benito Miranda Cliff Numark Susan Rhilinger Craig Thorsen Richard Wagner Kurt Weideman Christopher Zeller



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<b>2006</b> Gubernatorial Primary	<b>June 6</b> RES. 2006-57 ADPT. JUL 11	<b>Regular</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>75,154</b>	<b>28,286</b>	<b>37%</b>	<b>19,650</b>	<b>8,636</b>	<b>44%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Frank Scotto 15,433			Dan Walker 9,487			
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Bill Sutherland 11,003 Tom Brewer 10,674 Pat McIntyre 10,150			Rod Guyton 9,148 Mike Mauno 8,331 VJ Hirsch 4,114 Charles M. Deemer 3,327 S. "Sam" Bhavnani 641 Ricky Bhavnani 593			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Sue Herbers 17,016			Kenneth Evans 3,734			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Linda Barnett 18,715			None			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		N/A			N/A			

Year	Date		
<b>2005</b>	<b>Oct. 18</b>		
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>	<b>Candidates Not Appointed</b>
ROD GUYTON APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 10/18/05  TED LIEU ELECTED TO CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY, 53 <sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT 9/13/05; RESIGNS SEAT 9/20/05.		Rod Guyton	Charles Michel Deemer Peter A Donnellan Jeannie Fuller Melvin Glass Scott Gobble  Michael Griffiths Marija Tenzera Marino Leigh McArthur Bill Sutherland

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<b>2004</b> General Presidential	<b>Nov. 2</b> RES. 2004-155 ADPT. DEC 07	<b>Special</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>72,320</b>	<b>61,373</b>	<b>85%</b>	<b>45,671</b>	<b>15,702</b>	<b>34%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>MEASURE T</b> AMEND SECTION 510 OF THE CHARTER TO CHANGE THE DATE OF HOLDING THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO THE SAME DAY AS THE STATEWIDE DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTION IN EACH EVEN-NUMBERED YEAR		<b>Yes</b> 35,830 <b>No</b> 17,589						



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<b>2004</b> <small>Presidential Primary</small>	<b>March 2</b> RES. 2003-187 ADPT. DEC 16, 2003 INSTALLED RES. 2004-26 MARCH 16, 2004	<b>Regular</b> (CONSOLIDATED) GENERAL MUNICIPAL CANCELED - NO MORE CANDIDATES THAN OFFICES	<b>68,270</b>	<b>Ballots cast</b>  <b>23,227</b>	<b>County</b>  <b>34.02%</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>N/A</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
<i>COUNCIL SENIORITY BASED ON 2000 ELECTION</i>		Frank A. Scotto Hope Witkowsky Paul M. Nowatka			N/A			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>2002</b> <small>Gubernatorial Primary</small>	<b>March 5</b> RES. 2002-33 ADPT. APR 9	<b>Regular</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>75,972</b>	<b>26,002</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>20,488</b>	<b>5,514</b>	<b>27%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Dan Walker 12,780			Marcia Cribbs 10,846			
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Ted Lieu 12,974 Mike Mauno 9,603 Pat McIntyre 8,984			Rod Guyton 8,541 Bill Sutherland 7,361 G. Rick Marshall 6,309 Tom Brewer 5,109 Charles M. Deemer 2,207			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Sue Herbers 19,187			None			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Linda Barnett 19,215			None			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>2001</b>	<b>Nov. 6</b> RES. 2001-146 ADPT. DEC 4	<b>Special</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>77,594</b>	<b>13,273</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>9,766</b>	<b>3,507</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
MEASURE Q: INITIATIVE PETITION REPEAL ALL ASSESSMENTS FOR STREET LIGHTING					No 7,685 Yes 5,130			



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<b>2000</b> <small>Presidential Primary</small>	<b>March 7</b> RES. 2000-39 ADPT. APR 4	<b>General Municipal</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>73,264</b>	<b>40,104</b>	<b>54.7%</b>	<b>33,084</b>	<b>7,020</b>	<b>17.5%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Frank A. Scotto 13,749 Hope Witkowsky 11,222 Paul M. Nowatka 11,029			Hazel N. Taniguchi 9,326 Kim Wang 7,781 Glenn R. Tanner 7,234 Jim Stadler 7,083 Bill Sutherland 6,361 Mark Wirth 5,113 Mike Mauno 3,676 Pat McIntyre 3,280 David Paul Hill 2,519 Charles Michel Deemer 1,514 *Joseph M. Azim 0 *Qualified write-in candidate			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>1999</b>	<b>November 2</b> RES. 99-131 ADPT. DEC 7	<b>Special</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>75,263</b>	<b>8,468</b>	<b>11%</b>	<b>5,742</b>	<b>2,726</b>	<b>32%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
MEASURE H: CHANGE CITY ELECTION DATE FROM MARCH TO MAY OF EVEN NUMBERED YEARS					No 4,234 Yes 3,755			

Year	Date							
<b>1998</b>	<b>December 15</b>							
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Appointed</b>		<b>Candidates Not Appointed</b>				
HARVEY HORWICH APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 12/15/98  GEORGE. NAKANO ELECTED TO CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY, 53 <sup>RD</sup> DISTRICT 11/3/98; RESIGNS SEAT 11/30/98.		Harvey Horwich		Michael Botello Henry Carlson Bill Cook Kurt Driskill Judy Gibson William Goedike Anthony Kriss William Mason II Michael Mauno Pat McIntyre Allen W. Mitchell Sandi Monda Paul M. Nowatka Richard A. Olson Donald Pyles Frank Rizzardi Robert Smith Jr. Bill Sutherland Hazel Taniguchi Glenn Tanner Sara Ann Thomas Mark Wirth Hope Witkowsky John Wong				



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1998	March 3 RES. 98-23 ADPT. MAR 10	General Municipal	72,093	6,687	9.3%	3,491	2,746	41%
Mayor					Elected		Candidates Not Elected	
					Dee Hardison		5,777 None	
Councilmember					Elected		Candidates Not Elected	
					Marcia Cribbs		5,100	
					Jack Messerlian		5,015	
					Dan Walker		4,294	
City Clerk					Elected		Candidates Not Elected	
					Sue Herbers		5,735 None	
City Treasurer					Elected		Candidates Not Elected	
					Linda Barnett		5,764 None	
Measure					Passed		Defeated	
None					n/a		n/a	

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1996	March 5 RES. 96-15 ADPT. MAR 12	General Municipal	70,099	11,931	17%	8,488	3,443	29%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		George Nakano	8,866	Bill Applegate	6,170			
		Don Lee	7,518	Joe Quinones	2,714			
		Maureen O'Donnell	6,926	*Paul A. Gensheimer	62			
					*Qualified write-in candidate			
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			



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1994	March 8 RES. 94-54 ADPT. MAR 15	General Municipal	69,871	17,383	25%	14,024	3,359	19%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Dee Hardison		8,676	Bill Applegate			8,193
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Marcia Cribbs	6,042	Michael Botello			4,578	
		Dan Walker	5,803	Burton Fletcher			4,546	
		Jack Messerlian	4,659	Steve Whitehead			4,493	
				Hope Witkowsky			4,372	
				Gerry Rische			4,316	
				Joe Martinez			3,944	
				Jose D. (Joe) Quinones			2,284	
				Mike Mauno			1,996	
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Sue Herbers		8,084	Mark Wirth			5,769
					Gary Spero			1,951
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
THOMAS C. RUPERT RESIGNED 2/17/93 LINDA BARNETT APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 3/16/93		Linda Barnett*		11,453	None			
				*Appointed incumbent				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1992	November 3 RES. 92-201 ADPT. DEC 15	Special (CONSOLIDATED)	73,776	60,601	82%	51,898	8,703	14%
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
PROPOSITION W: SHALL CITY CLERK BE APPOINTED					No		34,961	
					Yes		16,223	
PROPOSITION X: SHALL CITY TREASURER BE APPOINTED					No		35,694	
					Yes		15,752	
PROPOSITION Y: TERM LIMITS (2) FOR CITY COUNCIL		Yes		39,447				
		No		11,957				





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1992	March 3 RES. 92-40 ADPT. MAR 10	General Municipal	64,238	13,691	21%	11,251	2,439	18%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Maureen O'Donnell	6,874	Tim Mock5,427				
		George Nakano	6,489	Burton Fletcher3,328				
		Don Lee	5,833	Michael Botello3,210				
				Mark Hamblett2,866				
				Donald Pyles1,895				
				Ronald Ellis1,358				
				William Cook858				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1990	March 6 RES. 90-40 ADPT. MAR 13	General Municipal	69,325	19,470	28%	16,864	2,606	13%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Katy Geissert	16,421	None				
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Dee Hardison	14,256	Donald Pyles6,793				
		Bill Applegate	13,439					
		Mark Wirth	13,389					
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		John A. Bramhall*	15,802	None				
		*Appointed incumbent						
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Thomas C. Rupert	15,995	None				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
MEASURE A: MOBIL HYDROFLUORIC ACID/HYDROGEN FLUORIDE (WALKER INITIATIVE)					No	14,177		
					Yes	4,967		
MEASURE B: INCREASE GANN LIMITS TO PAY FOR LEGAL DEFENSE IF WALKER INITIATIVE PASSES					No	11,425		
					Yes	6,616		
MEASURE C: REPEAL ARTICLE 15 (THE AIRPORT FUND)					No	8,111		
					Yes	8,041		



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<b>1988</b>	<b>November 8</b> RES. 88-299 ADPT. DEC 13	<b>Special</b> (CONSOLIDATED)	<b>74,894</b>	<b>59,113</b>	<b>79%</b>	<b>53,754</b>	<b>5,359</b>	<b>9.1%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>PROPOSITION QQ: CHARTER AMENDMENT ALLOWS COUNCIL TO SET VIOLATION OF AN ORDINANCE AS MISDEMEANOR OR INFRACTION</b>		<b>Yes</b>		<b>32,286</b>				
		<b>No</b>		<b>16,786</b>				
<b>PROPOSITION RR: CHARTER AMENDMENT ALLOWS COUNCIL TO DECIDE TO PUBLISH AN ORDINANCE IN FULL OR IN SUMMARY</b>		<b>Yes</b>		<b>30,180</b>				
		<b>No</b>		<b>18,482</b>				

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1988	March 8 RES. 88-57 ADPT. MAR 15	General Municipal	67,668	10,150	15%	9,287	863	8.5%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		George Nakano	7,479	Brian Hannon 3,611				
		Tim Mock	6,717	Tony Kriss 2,722				
		Dan Walker	5,181	Suzanne Fermano 1,846				
City Clerk								
DONALD WILSON RESIGNS 11/11/88 JOHN BRAMHALL APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 11/29/88								
Measure	None	Passed	n/a		Defeated		n/a	

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<b>1986</b>	<b>March 4</b> RES. 86-46 ADPT. MAR 11	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>69,190</b>	<b>9,864</b>	<b>14%</b>	<b>9,096</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>7.8%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Katy Geissert		8,750	None			
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Dee Hardison		6,203	Don Lee 3,238			
		Mark Wirth		6,031	A. J. "Tony" Kriss 1,885			
		Bill Applegate		5,577	Eva Bisou 1,669			
					J. D. "Dick" Cahill 1,288			
					Carl Kludt 939			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Donald Wilson		8,543	None			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Thomas C. Rupert		6,609	Pauline Greer 2,600			
<b>Measure</b>	<b>None</b>	<b>Passed</b>	<b>n/a</b>		<b>Defeated</b>	<b>n/a</b>		



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1984	March 6 RES. 84-69 ADPT. MAR 13	General Municipal	66,307	12,266	18%	11,730	536	4.4%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Dan Walker	4,997	Gene Alice Drevno				4,368
		George Nakano	4,862	Maureen O'Donnell				4,331
		Tim Mock	4,774	Mark Linnell				3,775
				Steven M. Busch				2,321
				Rami Rodriguez				1,593
				Donald Cucci				1,461
				Frank Schilling				668
				Roger W. Hulburd				317
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			

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1982	November 2 RES. 82-280 ADPT. DEC 7	Special (CONSOLIDATED)	68,639	49,879	73%	47,149	2,730	5.5%
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
PROPOSITION M: BAN SALE/POSSESSION/STORAGE OF FIREWORKS PER ORDINANCE NO. 3039		Yes	27,488					
		No	18,984					

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1982	March 2 RES. 82-39 ADPT. MAR 9	General Municipal	67,867	13,489	20%	13,029	460	3.4%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		James R. Armstrong	11,489	Lloyd W. Sorenson 1,561				
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Cathryn (Katy) Geissert	10,485	Bob Ritchie 5,403				
		Bill Applegate	6,196	Rich Finston 5,057				
		Mark Wirth	6,041	Rami Rodriguez 2,273				
				Art Jenkins 1,751				
				*XX Lepsesty 29				
				*Write-in candidate				
				Unable to determine first name				
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Donna Babb	4,566	John A. Bramhall 3,838				
				Sherie Nelson 2,501				
				Phillip Joseph 887				
				Sandy Progen 834				
				William Blain Willett 301				
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Tom Rupert	10,590	None				
Measure	None	Passed	n/a	Defeated		n/a		



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<b>1980</b>	<b>March 4</b> RES. 80-36 ADPT. MAR 11	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>62,786</b>	<b>7,439</b>	<b>12%</b>	<b>7,121</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>4.2%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Dan Walker 5,957 Dick Rossberg 5,832 Donald E. Wilson 3,711			Art Jenkins 3,362 Brian K. Sunshine 1,240			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			



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<b>1978</b>	<b>November 7</b> RES. 78-202 ADPT. DEC 5	<b>Special*</b> (CONSOLIDATED)		<b>47,229</b>		<b>45,638</b>	<b>1,591</b>	<b>3.4%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
*ELECTION HELD TO FILL UNEXPIRED COUNCIL SEAT OF JAMES ARMSTRONG		Dan Walker 20,244			Velma S. Shelbourn 10,950 Art Jenkins 6,294 Jerry Rhoads 3,739			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
*ELECTION HELD TO FILL UNEXPIRED COUNCIL SEAT OF JAMES ARMSTRONG		Dan Walker 20,244			Velma S. Shelbourn 10,950 Art Jenkins 6,294 Jerry Rhoads 3,739			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			



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1978	March 7 RES. 78-49 ADPT. MAR 14	General Municipal	66,244 67,106	13,296	20%	13,084	212	1.5%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		James R. Armstrong	11,207	Richard L. Corsi 1,572				
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
JAMES ARMSTRONG’S ELECTION AS MAYOR CREATES VACANCY ON CITY COUNCIL. SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL VACANCY HELD 11/7/78		Katy Geissert	7,826	Dan Walker 3,642				
		Doug Brown	6,922	Pat Uerkwitz 3,411				
		Bill Applegate	4,242	George Ogawa 3,070				
				Larry D. Allen 1,899				
				Harry A. Matthews III 1,890				
				Abe Navarro 1,375				
				Art Jenkins 1,121				
				Donald R. Frew, Jr. 964				
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Sherie L. Nelson	6,990	Patricia L. (Pat) Tyrrell 3,705 Leonard V. Snow 1,155 Ron Weddell 792 Joanne T. Loney 215				
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Thomas C. Rupert	10,774	None				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 CODIFY DUTIES OF CITY CLERK		Yes	10,264					
		No	1,545					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 REQUIRES MAYOR TO SIGN ONLY CONTRACTS THAT ARE REQUIRED BY ORDINANCE TO BE APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL		Yes	10,170					
		No	1,650					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3 SPECIAL MEETINGS CALLED PER STATE LAW NOTICE REQUIREMENTS		Yes	10,675					
		No	1,079					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 4 REPEALS SECTION 941 (INVALIDITY) OF CITY CHARTER		Yes	8,686					
		No	2,293					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 5 SETS TIME LIMITS FOR CLAIMS/ACTIONS AGAINST THE CITY		Yes	10,539					
		No	1,079					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 6 ALLOWS CITY CODE VIOLATIONS TO BE PROSECUTED BOTH CIVILLY AND CRIMINALLY		Yes	9,395					
		No	2,118					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 7 PAY CITY COUNCIL ON SAME DATE AS CITY EMPLOYEES		Yes	10,242					
		No	1,355					



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1976	November 2 RES. 76-238 ADPT. DEC 7	Special (CONSOLIDATED)	68,968	57,098	83%	55,251	1,847	3.2%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
GEORGE SURBER RESIGNS, 6/30/76  DOUG BROWN ELECTED TO FILL VACANCY 11/2/76		Doug Brown 16,429			Dan Walker 10,451 John Alter 6,173 William C. "Bill" Applegate 5,829 Lloyd W. Sorenson 5,555 Steven (Steve) L. Berman 3,535 Rich Finston 1,925			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 (PROPOSITION V): TERM LIMITS (2) FOR MAYOR		Yes 43,185 No 8,683						

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1976	March 2 RES. 76-40 ADPT. MAR 9	General Municipal	58,056	13,932	24%	13,789	143	1%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		James Armstrong 8,809 Donald E. Wilson 7,990 Dick Rossberg 6,176			Stan Smith 3,446 Ross A. Sciarrotta 3,355 Jim Davis 2,239 Harry A. Matthews III 1,810 Wendy Park 1,722 Jerome D. (Jerry) Thornell 961 Thomas R. O'Brien 793 Rita A. Sours 685 Reece Mullins 438			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 30 DAY RESIDENCY FOR CITY ELECTIVE OFFICE CANDIDATES		Yes 10,019 No 3,333						
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 30 DAY RESIDENCY FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION CANDIDATES		Yes 9,955 No 3,344						
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3 ALLOW CITY COUNCIL TO SET SALARY FOR CITY CLERK AND TREASURER		Yes 7,023 No 6,066						
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 4 REPEALS REQUIREMENT OF RESIDENCY FOR CITY EMPLOYEES		Yes 7,764 No 5,350						
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 5 ALLOWS CITY COUNCIL TO SET DOLLAR LIMIT ABOVE WHICH PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS MUST BE OFFERED TO COMPETITIVE BID		Yes 8,788 No 4,111						



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<b>1974</b>	<b>November 5</b> RES. 74-258 ADPT. DEC. 10	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>72,654</b>	<b>45,025</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>44,040</b>	<b>985</b>	<b>2.2%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>PROPOSITION VV</b> CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 ELECTIVE OFFICE VACANCIES		Yes		26,056				
		No		9,466				
<b>PROPOSITION WW</b> CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN MARCH OF EACH EVEN YEAR		Yes		24,660				
		No		10,347				
<b>PROPOSITION XX</b> CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3 COUNCIL COMPENSATION; CLERK AND TREASURER DUTIES AND COMPENSATION					No		27,603	
					Yes		7,979	
<b>PROPOSITION YY</b> CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 4 POWERS & DUTIES OF CITY MANAGER; COUNCIL ACTION ON BUDGET; DEMANDS & AUDITS		Yes		19,505				
		No		15,440				

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1974</b>	<b>April 9</b> RES. 74-66 AND 74-82* ADPT. APR 16	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>69,526</b>	<b>13,746</b>	<b>20%</b>	<b>13,450</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>2.2%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Ken Miller		11,103	Michael Kallungi 2,218			
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
*Res. 74-82 amended 74-66 due to recount requested by Ross Sciarrotta <i>George Surber said there were 3 recounts, per conversation with Sue Herbers on 5/15/99</i>		Cathryn A. (Katy) Geissert		7,172	Ross A. Sciarrotta 6,486			
		George Brewster		7,598	Verna D. Mattox 4,449			
		George B. Surber		6,488	Orin P. Johnson 3,152			
					Pat Lewandowski 1,636			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Vernon W. Coil		9,150	Joyce Romoff 3,900			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Thomas C. Rupert		11,809	None			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			



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1972	April 11 RES. 72-61 ADPT. APR 18	General Municipal	65,193	19,006	29%	18,844	162	.85%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		James R. Armstrong	10,297	Orin P. (Bud) Johnson7,473				
		Donald E. Wilson	10,147	Albert Isen7,328				
		William J. Uerkwitz	9,759	Harold D. (Bud) Walsh3,561				
				Bill Lewis1,629				
				(Tina) Ernestine S. Boyd1,584				
				J. E. (Jim) Thompson1,439				
				Bernard R. Casey598				
				John Paul Fiorello395				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1970	April 14 RES. 70-88 ADPT. APR 21	General Municipal	59,571	23,624	40%	23,469	155	.65%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Ken Miller	12,967	Albert Isen Jeffrey Bradpiece		9,174 1,108		
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Ross A. Sciarrotta	10,156	John D. Blaisdell		5,521		
		George W. Brewster	7,495	Leo F. X. Salisbury		4,983		
		George B. Surber	6,380	Brian Gauthier		4,189		
				Max A. Kelly		3,205		
				John J. Barton		3,104		
				Walter M. Nollac		2,724		
				Gerry Rische		2,571		
				John D. Kirby		2,322		
				Eva J. Bisou		2,203		
				Owen A. Silverman		1,851		
				William F. Roberts		1,828		
				Gerald S. Tarlow		1,756		
				W. R. Ruhlow, Jr.		1,736		
				Richard Knickerbocker		1,417		
				Alfred G. Cagle		1,321		
				Bill O'Leary		1,286		
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Vernon W. Coil	11,949	Phillip Joseph		5,495		
				Doris S. Erikson		2,975		
				Earl Sumpter		2,172		
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Thomas C. Rupert	17,208	None				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			





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1968	April 9 RES. 68-71 ADPT. APR 16	General Municipal	54,918	16,509	30%	16,335	171	1%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
H. TED OLSON RESIGNS 8/1/67		Donald E. Wilson	9,346	Blayne L. Asher 4,743				
ED TALBERT APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 8/8/67 BY 4-2 VOTE		William J. Uerkwitz	8,123	Leo F. X. Salisbury 3,979				
		Orin (Bud) Johnson	5,040	George Vico 3,267				
				Max A. Kelly 3,177				
				David K. Lyman 2,655				
				Nick Drale 2,519				
				Ed Talbert 2,460				
				Rocque (Rocky) Garcia 1,786				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
PROPOSITION A: REPEAL ADOPTION OF HOUSING CODE, REQUIRE VOTE OF PEOPLE TO ADOPT FUTURE CODE		Yes	9,181					
		No	6,658					
PROPOSITION B: PROVIDE COMPENSATION FOR CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR					No	13,070		
					Yes	2,845		

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1967	April 18 RES. 67-71 ADPT. APR 25	Special Municipal	51,202	7,681	15%	7,646	35	
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
PROPOSITION: SHALL THE CITY OF TORRANCE INCUR A BONDED INDEBTEDNESS IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$2,350,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE ACQUISITION & CONSTRUCTION BY SAID CITY OF A CERTAIN MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS, TO WIT: NEW PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDINGS & ADDITIONS TO & EXTENSIONS & IMPROVEMENTS OF EXISTING BRANCH LIBRARY BUILDINGS, INCLUDING VEHICLE PARKING FACILITIES THEREFOR & THE ACQUISITION OF LAND, FURNITURE, FURNISHINGS, EQUIPMENT & BOOKS NECESSARY THERFOR		Yes No	5,849 1,691					
COUNCILMEMBER		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
SCHOOL BOARD		Pauline (Polly) Watts Kurt T. Shery	5,276 5,198	John D. Kirby John R. Abshear John H. Tofflemire Arnold A. Katz Jim Peters Write-ins 1,657 655 645 643 472 3				



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1966	April 12 RES. 66-74 ADPT. APR 19	General Municipal	51,952	20,250	39%	20,191	59	.29%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Albert Isen		10,247	Nick Drale		9,259	
		Mayoral Write-in Candidates Not Elected						
		*Damon Beckett	10	*Mrs. Allen Betty Crosby		1		
		*Victor Benstead	7	*Lee Howard Davis		1		
		*Ted Olson	6	*Walter Davis		1		
		*Edward T. Talbert	6	*Max Dridmore		1		
		*Eva Bisou	5	*Anyone Else		1		
		*Edward T. Schubert	5	*Eldon Ferrier		1		
		*Bert Lynn	4	*Frank Ford		1		
		*Batman	3	*Allan Hickman		1		
		*Mary Lou Cushman	3	*Richard Jurmain		1		
		*Orin Johnson	3	*Martin L. King		1		
		*Ed Martin	3	*George Kurtz		1		
		*Polly Watts	3	*William Mock		1		
		*L. J. Beauchamp	2	*James Morris		1		
		*William Beckman	2	*Jeffery Nauman		1		
		*Alfred G. Cagle	2	*C. Peterson		1		
		*Dave Cook	2	*George Post		1		
		*Ken Miller	2	*Albert Ross		1		
		*Alfred Teberio	2	*Jack A. Salling		1		
		*John Richard Abshear	1	*Daniel Sohner		1		
		*William L. Barclay	1	*George Vico		1		
		*R. F. Boyd, Jr.	1	*Charles Wells		1		
		*Don F. Bradford	1	*Dr. Donald E. Wilson		1		
		*Charly Brown	1	*Ronald D. Wright		1		
		*Gene Byrd	1	*Write-in candidate				
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Ken Miller	11,037	Orin P. (Bud) Johnson		4,949		
		Ross Sciarrotta, Jr.	8,963	Edward L. (Ed) Talbert		4,567		
		J. A. Beasley	6,331	Clifford J. Peterson		4,179		
				Leo F. X. Salisbury		3,872		
				Alfred G. Cagle		2,923		
				LeVane M. Forsythe		2,484		
				Frederick Joseph Bandell		1,401		
				John Richard (Dick) Abshear		1,292		
				Harmon N. Belcher		1,274		
				Eva I. Bisou		1,271		
				Frank J. Bringanti		1,267		
				Ronald E. (Ron) Morris		796		
				Ronald P. (Ron) Wright		632		
				*John J. Barton		3		
				*Allen L. Gralnik		2		
				*Wayne Bantau		1		
				*Write-in candidate				
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Vernon Coil	14,541	Marie Casey		3,919		
				*John Toffelmeyer		9		
				*Write-in candidate				
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Thomas Rupert*	14,219	Thirvin D. Fleetwood		3,980		
		*Appointed incumbent		*E. E. Sparks		9		
				*Daniel Revill		3		
				*Marie Tully		3		
				*Philip H. Fawcett		1		
				*George Morehart		1		
				*Write-in candidate				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. A PROVIDE COUNCIL SALARY & EXPENSE COMPENSATION					No		13,607	
					Yes		6,123	
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. B PROVIDE MAYOR SALARY & EXPENSE COMPENSATION					No		13,156	
					Yes		6,508	
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. C PROHIBIT BREAST EXPOSURE		Yes	14,460					
		No	5,366					



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1964	April 14 RES. 64-76 ADPT. APR 21	General Municipal	43,748	17,371	40%	17,308	63	.36%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Ted Olson	7,408	John J. Barton4,296				
		George Vico	4,983	Nickolas O'Brien Drale4,069				
		David K. Lyman	4,925	Clifford Jay Peterson3,695				
		John F. Mulvihill3,327						
		Victor E. Benstead, Jr.3,096						
		Willys G. Blount2,494						
		Le Vane M. Forsythe2,386						
		John F. (Jack) Phillips2,324						
		Eva I. Bisou1,696						
		Owen A. Silverman1,219						
		William (Bill) Faren947						
		Jim Haizlip905						
		Ivan W. Moore727						
		Nat Mondati704						
		Nicholas (Nick) Fuscardo644						
		*XX Belknap1						
		*XX Champion1						
		*XX Kovach1						
		*XX Mahler1						
		*XX Mouse1						
*XX Van Wormer1								
*Write-in candidate								
Unable to determine first names								
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
HARRIET LEECH RESIGNS DUE ILLNESS 7/XX/64		n/a			n/a			
THOMAS RUPERT APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 7/14/64								
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1		Yes	11,120					
FULL-TIME SALARIED CITY CLERK		No	4,872					

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1962	April 10 RES. 62-92 ADPT. MAY 8	General Municipal	45,465	16,879	37%	16,723	96	.57%
Mayor		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Albert Isen	9,857	Willys G. Blount 3,158 Roger P. Hogue 2,760 Arthur Armijo 382 Jeff W. Bell 368 *Nickolas Drale 5 *James Cassidy 3 *Bert Lynn 1 *Write-in candidate				

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1962	April 10 RES. 62-92* ADPT. MAY 8	General Municipal	45,465	16,879	37%	16,723	96	.57%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
*ORIGINAL RESULTS AS LISTED BY RES. NO. 62-58 WERE REPEALED DUE TO A PARTIAL RECOUNT REQUESTED BY CANDIDATE D. LYMAN. ALSO SEE RES. NO. 62-78		J. A. (Jay) Beasley	6,011	John J. Barton 4,804				
		Ross A. Sciarrotta	5,156	David K. Lyman 3,925				
		Ken Miller	5,095	Garth Belknap 3,742				
		Jean Clawson 3,681						
		George Kurtz 3,642						
		Naomi A. McVey 2,358						
		Stewart E. (Bud) Rose 2,015						
		Eva I. Bisou 1,501						
		Nat P. Mondati 1,087						
		Earle A. Foster 861						
		Fred Steinbroner, Jr. 717						
		William R. (Bob) Steele 550						
		Russ Cameron 529						
		Harley E. Gibson 422						
		William E. Taylor 390						
		James Cicchini 321						
		Arthur D. Kinane 291						
		*Vera Jones 2						
*Jim Loughbridge 2								
*Marie Stevenson 1								
*Write-in candidate								
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Vernon Coil	2,708	James G. Shidler 2,224				
		Charles L. Deck 1,988						
		Thirvin D. Fleetwood 1,850						
		Bernard (Barney) Miller 1,673						
		Herma O. Tillim 1,450						
		Earle Sumpter 1,442						
		Rose Craig 832						
		Tom Faren 806						
		George G. Morehart 534						
		William A. Manis 176						
		*Betsy Brase 1						
		*Write-in candidate						
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Harriett V. Leech	9,590	Fred Spangler 3,687				
		Thomas C. Rupert 1,080						
		Gaylord D. Stenberg 1,039						
		*Betsy Brase 1						
*Write-in candidate								
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 AIRPORT FUND/FACILITIES		Yes	8,978					
		No	5,694					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 SCHOOL BOARD OF EDUCATION		Yes	10,658					
		No	3,652					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3 CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM		Yes	9,599					
		No	4,825					



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1960	April 12 RES. 3930 ADPT. APR 19	General Municipal		10,774		10,723	51	.47%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Nickolas O. Drale		5,203	John J. Barton 2,718			
		George Vico		5,067	Robert B. Jahn 2,582			
		Victor E. Benstead, Jr.		3,195	Garth Belknap 2,235			
					David Vierra Figueredo 2,101			
					George Kurtz 2,036			
					Pat Hogue 1,695			
					Thirvin D. Fleetwood 1,284			
					Rose Craig 683			
					Jeff W. Bell 658			
					Paul R. Albright, Jr. 583			
					Henry (Hank) Carreiro 551			
					Walter J. Keberlein 256			
					James (Chic) Cicchini 195			
					*John Bodnar 1			
					*Jack Carter 1			
					*Joseph T. Murray 1			
					*Clifford Nickle 1			
					*Jerome H. Prior 1			
					*John W. Pugh 1			
					*Murl A. Reeves 1			
					*Gilbert Zimmerman 1			
					*Write-in candidate			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>1958</b>	<b>April 8</b> RES. 3450 AND 3451 ADPT. APR 15	<b>General Municipal &amp; Consolidated Special Bond</b>		<b>15,492</b>		<b>15,440</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>.34%</b>
<b>Mayor</b>		<b>Elected</b>	<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>					
FIRST MAYOR DIRECTLY ELECTED PER CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2, OCTOBER 29, 1957		Albert Isen 7,998	Nickolas O. Drale 6,297 Walter G. Ryan 721 Dearl Craft 297 *Joseph J. Boylan 1 *Walter F. Gross, Jr. 1 *Sol Mann 1 *W. T. Mittan 1 *Write-in Candidate					
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>	<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>					
		Willys G. Blount 6,938 George A. Bradford 5,011 J. A. (Jay) Beasley 4,430	George Vico 3,513 Virgil Hancock 3,177 David V. Figueredo 3,090 Clifford J. Peterson 3,082 R. P. (Pat) Hogue 2,626 J. E. (Jim) Thompson 2,315 Thirvin D. Fleetwood 1,902 Murl A. Reeves 1,846 Tom Abrams 1,693 Albert W. Hinz 1,204 Alexander Lloret Mazzia 1,119 Richard B. Wilson 979 *Arnold Tracy 1 *Nickolas O. Drale 1 *Write-in Candidate					
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>	<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>					
		Albert H. (Bart) Bartlett 9,004	Herma Tillim 3,019 Bernard (Barney) Miller 2,392 *Robert J. Andrews 1 *Mildred Rugraf 1 *Write-in Candidate					
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>	<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>					
		Harriett V. Leech 10,914	Frank W. Hunter 3,487 *Mary Sorenson 1 *Write-in Candidate					
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>	<b>Defeated</b>					
BOND PROPOSITION: PARKS AND RECREATION FACILITIES 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED			No 7,952 Yes 6,871					

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1957	October 29 RES. 3329 AND 3330 ADPT. NOV 5	Special Municipal & Consolidated Bond		6,795 ??			13	
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 CREATE AIRPORT FUND		Yes		3,582				
		No		3,093				
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 ESTABLISH ELECTIVE MAYOR AND SIX MEMBER CITY COUNCIL		Yes		5,389				
		No		1,272				
BOND PROPOSITION A: ADD/IMPROVE PUBLIC AIRPORT <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		3,859	
					Yes		2,855	
BOND PROPOSITION B: ACQUIRE /IMPROVE LAND FOR PARKS AND RECREATION <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					Yes		4,374	
					No		2,421	

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<b>1956</b>	<b>April 10</b> RES. 2906 ADPT. APR 17	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>8,416</b>		<b>8,396</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>.24%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
ALBERT ISEN APPOINTED MAYOR, 4/5/55  ALBERT ISEN REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/17/56 BY 3-2 VOTE, DRALE & BLOUNT VOTING NO, ISEN VOTING YES FOR HIMSELF		Victor E. Benstead, Jr. 3,485 Nicholas O. Drale 3,131 Robert B. Jahn 2,639			W.A. Garrabrant 2,624 Beverly B. Smith 2,556 Jack E. White 2,325 William E. King, Jr. 2,218 J.E. (Jim) Thompson 1,123 Gordon A. Lewis 1,029 Thomas R. Faren 548 Frank W. Burk 468 Walter G. Ryan 448 Frank H. Frohnhoefer 422 Thelma C. Ledwidge 408 George W. Downing 405 Gwilym S. Evans 294 *Enid Runstead 2 *Richard Schwartz 2 *Robert Tolson 2 *Paul Baker 1 *Write-in Candidate			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1</b> SALARY FOR CITY COUNCIL, CLERK & TREASURER		Yes 4,713 No 2,764						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2</b> APPOINTED ASSISTANT OR DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEYS		Yes 4,845 No 2,240						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3</b> EXPENDITURES GREATER THAN \$2000 AWARDED TO LOWEST BIDDER		Yes 5,390 No 1,780						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 4</b> CONDITIONS FOR BRINGING SUIT OR FILING CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY		Yes 4,918 No 1,967						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 5</b> TERMS & CONDITIONS FOR AWARD OF FRANCHISE		Yes 5,012 No 1,759						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 6</b> SET TERMS FOR ADOPTING AN ORDINANCE		Yes 5,729 No 1,108						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 7</b> REDEFINE DUTIES OF CITY CLERK; CREATE OFFICE OF DIRECTOR OF FINANCE		Yes 5,751 No 1,176						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 8</b> REDEFINE DUTIES OF CITY TREASURER		Yes 5,703 No 1,254						
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 9</b> ESTABLISH TORRANCE BOARD OF EDUCATION					No 3,788 Yes 3,615			





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<b>1954</b>	<b>October 19</b> RES. 2638 ADPT. OCT 26	<b>Special</b>		<b>5,178</b>		<b>5,143</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>.68%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> CONSTRUCT CITY HALL, POLICE DEPT. AND JAIL <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>		Yes		4,297				
		No		881				
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2:</b> CONSTRUCT PUBLIC SWIM- MING POOL AND BATH-HOUSE <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>		Yes		3,880				
		No		1,288				

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1954	April 13 RES. 2560 AND 2561 ADPT. APR 20	General Municipal & Consolidated Special Bond		6,364		6,322	42	.66%						
Councilmember					Elected				Candidates Not Elected					
NICKOLAS O. DRALE APPOINTED MAYOR 4/20/54					Albert Isen Willys G. Blount		3,069 2,576		Jack E. White Herma O. Tillim Alvan K. Hill Francis W. (Frank) Burk Robert F. Evans *Robert H. Lucas *Write-in Candidate				2,375 1,411 1,221 499 326 1	
City Clerk					Elected				Candidates Not Elected					
					Albert H. Bartlett		5,122		*A. L. Avis *Alfred Joe Byk *Walter I. Gross, Jr. *Joel Hagberg *Jerry Hollman *Sam Levy *Frank Pavinjo *Write-in Candidate				1 1 1 1 1 1 1	
City Treasurer					Elected				Candidates Not Elected					
					Harriett V. Leech		4,386		Arene E. Dean				1,396	
Measure					Passed				Defeated					
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1 CONSTRUCT CITY HALL AND POLICE DEPARTMENT/JAIL 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED									Yes No		3,841 2,059			
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2 NEW MAIN FIRE STATION; UPGRADE NORTH/SOUTH FIRE STATIONS 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes No		4,635 1,328							
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 3 IMPROVEMENT AND DEVELOPMENT OF PARK SYSTEM 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes No		4,322 1,600							
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 4 CONSTRUCT SWIMMING POOL AND BATH HOUSE 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED									Yes No		3,809 2,150			

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<b>1952</b>	<b>April 8</b> RES. 2264 ADPT. APR 15	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>5,169</b>		<b>5,135</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>.66%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
MERVIN E. SCHWAB APPOINTED MAYOR, 4/15/52		Nickolas O. Drale	2,680		Albert Isen 2,077			
		Mervin M. Schwab	2,386		Edwin S. Karlow 1,923			
		Victor E. Benstead, Jr.	2,208		Jack E. White 1,847			
					Bob L. Haggard 1,365			
					George W. Downing 695			
					*Marguerite G. Givens 2			
					*John H. King 1			
					*Florence Di Maylo 1			
					*Write-in Candidate			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
MARGARET FORDICE WAS ADJUCIATED AN INCOMPETENT BY VIRTUE OF SUPERIOR COURT CASE NO. 121750. THE OFFICE OF CITY TREASURER WAS DECLARED VACANT PER RESOLUTION 2232, 12/11/51		Harriett V. Leech*	3,492		*George W. Downing 2			
		<i>*Appointed incumbent</i>			*Joel Hagberg 1			
					*Roxie Sleeth 1			
					*Harry Truman 1			
					*Write-in Candidate			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1952</b>	<b>January 8</b> RES. 2241 ADPT. JAN 15	<b>Special</b>	Only approx. 7200 voters within boundaries of Municipal Water District No. 3 were eligible to vote	<b>1,957</b>	<b>27%</b> Approx.	<b>1,957</b>	<b>0*</b> *None Issued	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
BOND PROPOSITION: CONSTRUCT WATERWORKS FOR MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT NO. 3 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED		Yes	1,681					
		No	276					

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1950	April 11 RES. 2061 ADPT. APR 18	General Municipal		3,911				
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
BOB HAGGARD APPOINTED MAYOR 4/18/50		Harvey B. Spelman, Jr.	1,572	Victor E. Benstead, Jr.	*1,414			
		Willys G. Blount	1,421	Adelbert J. Patronskey	749			
				George W. Downing	659			
				C. Ed. Jones	593			
				Frank Schmidt	571			
				Carmello S. Mirabella	224			
					* A letter from Mr. Benstead’s attorney, Albert Isen, demanding a recount of all ballots cast, was read and filed without action by a 3-2 vote on 4/18/50			
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Albert H. Bartlett	2,187	Robert E. Lee	1,491			
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Margaret Fordice	1,910	Charles B. Mitchell	1,735			
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1 SETS TERMS OF COMPENSA- TION FOR ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS				No	1,855			
				Yes	1,428			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2 REQUIRES CITY MANAGER TO APPROVE ALL PAYMENTS		Yes	2,189					
		No	870					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3 REQUIRES RESIDENCE FOR ALL EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS WITH EXCEPTIONS		Yes	1,995					
		No	1,073					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 4 EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS MUST TAKE OATH AFFIRMING LOYALTY TO USA		Yes	2,050					
		No	996					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 5 SETS FORTH LOCATION OF CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS WITHIN CITY LIMITS		Yes	1,813					
		No	1,189					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 6 ESTABLISHES CONDITONS FOR RULE BY ORDINANCE		Yes	1,554					
		No	1,254					
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 7 SETS METHOD TO AMEND AN ORDINANCE				No	1,387			
				Yes	1,267			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 8 SETS METHOD TO REPEAL AN ORDINANCE				No	1,537			
				Yes	1,219			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 9 SETS METHOD TO LICENSE BUSINESSES, SHOWS, EXHIBITIONS AND GAMES				No	1,966			
				Yes	1,016			
CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 10 SETS TERMS TO ESTABLISH FRANCHISE BY ORDINANCE				No	1,666			
				Yes	1,161			

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<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 11</b> DEFINES ELIGIBILITY AND POWERS OF CITY ATTORNEY	Yes No	1,487 1,437	
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 12</b> SETS TERMS FOR FILING CLAIM AGAINST THE CITY	Yes No	1,432 1,344	
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 13</b> SETS TERMS FOR BORROWING MONEY			No 1,539 Yes 1,243
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 14</b> ESTABLISHES CITY COURT, JUDGE & JURISDICTION	Yes No	1,727 1,042	
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 1</b> AUTHORIZES CITY COUNCIL TO SELL ASSETS OF MUNICIPAL BUS LINE			No 2,434 Yes 749

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1948</b>	<b>April 13</b> RES. 1899 ADPT. APR 20	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>3,169</b> *+9				
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
J. H. SHERFEY, JR. REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/20/48		George C. Powell		1,040	Bronson C. Buxton 933			
		Bob L. Haggard		1,008	William H. Tolson 721			
		Nickolas O. Drale		990	James A. Evans 709			
					Charles M. Gilbert 634			
					James A. Wayt 582			
					Franklin M. Krekow 518			
					Johathon L. Dunmyer 422			
					William E. King, Jr. 307			
					George W. Downing 276			
					Todd Victor Long 222			
					Ralph M. Watson 170			
<b>Board of Education</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
*In addition to electors within the city, qualified electors residing within the El Nido School District were also eligible to vote for the Board of Education. Nine ballots were received		George P. Thatcher		1,923	Albert Isen 1,359			
		Grace Wright		1,860	Stanley Willard Briggs 906			
		Carl D. Steele		1,706				
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>MEASURE NO. 1</b> ESTABLISHES TRIAL BOARD & METHOD TO DISCIPLINE FIRE OR POLICE DEPT. PERSONNEL		Yes No		1,515 1,255				
<b>MEASURE NO. 2</b> REPEAL ORDINANCE NO. 200 SETTING FORTH COMPENSA- TION FOR CITY COUNCIL		Yes No		1,439 1,425				
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 1</b> AMEND LANGUAGE CREATING BOARD OF EDUCATION		Yes No		1,578 1,110				
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 2</b> ADOPTS CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT		Yes No		1,422 1,318				
<b>CHARTER AMENDMENT NO. 3</b> MAKES IT UNLAWFUL TO PLAY "DRAW POKER" IN CITY		Yes No		2,034 862				



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1947	March 18 RES. 1829 ADPT. MAR 25	Special Municipal		1,916				
Councilmember								
GEORGE V. POWELL RESIGNS 9/15/47.								
B. C. BUXTON APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY, 10/14/47								
Board of Education		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
FIRST ELECTED BOARD OF EDUCATION PER TERMS OF CITY CHARTER, RATIFIED BY CALIFORNIA STATE LEGISLATURE, JANUARY 1947		Howard A. Wood Evelyn L. Carr Grace Wright George P. Thatcher Carl D. Steele			1,404 992 976 795 792			
					James L. Lynch Albert Isen Mary Jane Millard Margaret H. O'Toole Cecil W. Smith Bernard Lee Howard P. Raymond Ila Mae Ambach Kenneth C. Beight *Tom F. McGuire *J.V. Murray *A.E. Trealor			
					672 576 520 484 411 405 354 239 233 3 3 3			
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1 ACQUIRE & EQUIP A FIRE STATION AND TRAINING TOWER 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes No			
					919 764			
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2 CONVERT, FURNISH & EQUIP PRESENT FIRE STATION TO POLICE STATION AND COURT HOUSE 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes No			
					880 789			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1946</b>	<b>November 19</b> RES. 1808 ADPT. NOV 26	<b>Special</b> Metropolitan Water District No. 2		<b>134</b>		<b>134</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>	<b>Defeated</b>					
<b>WATER BOND PROPOSITION:</b> ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT WATER WORKS <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>		Yes No	113 21					

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1946	August 20 RES. 1795 ½ ADPT. AUG 27	Special Consolidated		2,193		2,155	38	1.7%
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
PROPOSED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE: ACCEPT OR REJECT RESOLUTION NO. 1786		Yes		1,385				
		No		771				
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1: ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT MUNICIPAL SEWER SYSTEM <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,257	
					Yes		746	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2: ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT STORM DRAIN SYSTEM <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,296	
					Yes		680	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 3: ACQUIRE, CONSTRUCT & EQUIP A FIRE STATION AND TRAINING TOWER <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,148	
					Yes		869	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 4: CONVERT, FURNISH & EQUIP PRESENT FIRE STATION TO POLICE STATION AND COURT HOUSE <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,289	
					Yes		698	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 5: GRADE, PAVE & SURFACE ALL STREETS & ALLEYS <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,292	
					Yes		698	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 6: ACQUIRE LAND & CONSTRUCT RECREATION FACILITIES INCLUDING BALL PARK STADIUM AND POOL <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,196	
					Yes		837	
BOND PROPOSITION NO. 7: ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT A MUNICIPAL WATER MAIN <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No		1,154	
					Yes		856	

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1946	April 9 RES. 1768 ½ ADPT. APR 16	General Municipal		2,437	46%	2,414	23	.94%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
J. H. SHERFEY, JR. APPOINTED MAYOR 4/16/46		J. Hugh Sherfey, Jr. Albert L. Jackson	1,217 739		Cecil W. Smith 629 Paul Findley 585 James J. O'Toole 514 James W. Barker 366 Wm. J. B. Hughes 264 Joel Hagberg 127 Alvan K. Hill 43			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett	1,420		Floyd B. Boyle 674 Carl E. Marsteller 236			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Margaret Fordice	1,082		Tom F. McGuire 663 Bessie D. Slonecker 313 Vivian C. Callihan 288			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
PROPOSITION: SHALL COUNCILMEN RECEIVE ADDITIONAL SALARY OF \$50 PER MONTH <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>					No 1,234 Yes 852			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1946	January 15 RES. 1759 ADPT. JAN 22	Special Metropolitan Water District No.1		154		152	2	1.3%
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
WATER BOND PROPOSITION: ACQUIRE AND CONSTRUCT WATER WORKS <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>		Yes No	109 45					

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<b>1944</b>	<b>April 11</b> RES. 1653 ADPT. APR 18	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>1,783</b>		<b>1,777</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>.34%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
W. H. TOLSON APPOINTED MAYOR 4/18/44		William H. Tolson		772	Lawrence V. Babcock 644			
		George V. Powell		754	Paul Findley 628			
		Charles Merton Gilbert		645	Tom F. McGuire 598			
					Robert Paul Slonecker 429			
					George P. Thatcher 280			
					Durward D. Palmer 115			
					Joel Hagberg 108			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1942</b>	<b>April 14</b> RES. 1528 ADPT. APR 21	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>1,911</b>		<b>1,898</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.68%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
TOM MCGUIRE REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/21/42		James E. Hitchcock		902	Howard P. Raymond 578			
		Nicholas H. Cucci		614	Bronson C. Buxton 573			
					James A. Evans 328			
					Kenneth H. Kail 304			
					E. Edsel Newton 156			
					Frank Schmidt 79			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett		937	William J. Loughridge 919			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Harriett V. Leech		672	Cecilia H. Young 631			
					Margaret Fordice 553			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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1941	September 10 RES. 1497 ADPT. SEP 16	Special*		2,265		2,249	16	.71%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
*SPECIAL ELECTION HELD TO FILL TWO VACANCIES CREATED BY RECALL ELECTION OF 7/29/41		<sup>1</sup> Kenneth H. Kail 1,145 <sup>2</sup> George V. Powell 1,072  1 Term expires April, 1942 2 Term expires April, 1944			John V. Murray 1,037 James A. Evans 967 Bert L. Allen 151 *Gerald M. Calder 2 *Charles A. Curtiss 1 *Joel Hagberg 1 *Carl L. Hyde 1 *E. Edsel Newton 1 *Frank Paour, Jr. 1 *William H. Tolson 1 *Otto B. Willett 1 *Write-in Candidate			

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1941	July 29 RES. 1486 ADPT. AUG 4	Special (Recall)		2,109		2,091	18	.85%
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Recalled</b>			<b>Not Recalled</b>			
Lawrence V. Babcock					No 1,043 Yes 1,038			
John V. Murray		Yes 1,109 No 971						
George V. Powell		Yes 1,093 No 990						
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
SHALL VACANCIES CREATED BY A RECALL BE FILLED BY APPOINTMENT OR BY SPECIAL ELECTION?		By Special Election: 1,761			By Appointment: 206			

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<b>1940</b>	<b>April 9</b> RES. 1384 ADPT. APR 15	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>2,996</b>				
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
TOM MCGUIRE APPOINTED MAYOR, 4/15/40		George V. Powell		1,122	William J. Loughridge 830			
		Lawrence V. Babcock		929	Carl D. Steele 830			
		Tom F. McGuire		889	William H. Tolson 788			
					Gordon L. Mann 759			
					Wallace H. Gilbert 659			
					James J. O'Toole 636			
					LeGrand Barkdull 633			
					Lewis M. Fernley 274			
					William T. Klusman 94			
					William F. Shields 81			
					Frank Schmidt 75			
					Joel Hagberg 39			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>1938</b>	<b>September 20</b> RES. 1216 ADPT SEP 26	<b>Special Bond</b>		<b>1,248</b>		<b>1,245</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.24%</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> ACQUIRE, CONSTRUCT & EQUIP POOL AND BATHHOUSE <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No 862			
					Yes 377			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2:</b> ACQUIRE, CONSTRUCT & EQUIP RECREATION BLDG., TENNIS COURTS, & PLAYGROUND <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No 839			
					Yes 393			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 3:</b> ACQUIRE, CONSTRUCT & EQUIP RECREATION/LIBRARY BLDG., TENNIS COURTS, & PLAYGROUND IN WALTERIA <i>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</i>					No 893			
					Yes 334			

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1938	April 12 RES 1182 ADPT. APR 18	General Municipal	4,550 Approx.	2,405	53% Approx	2,397	8	.33%
Councilmember		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
W. H. TOLSON REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/18/38		James E. Hitchcock	1,073	Wallace H. Gilbert				624
		John V. Murray	885	Howard P. Raymond				548
				Ondus R.Hill				453
				William T. Klusman				174
				William E. Shawger				149
				Carl E. Marsteller				127
				Lindsay B. Kelsey				123
				Frank H. Edgerer				105
				Frank Schmidt				86
				Joseph M. Wright				79
				Joel Hagberg				34
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Albert H. Bartlett	1,418	James H. Scott				835
				Bert J. Holmes				72
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Harriett Leech	1,266	Scott R. Ludlow				760
				Frederick A. Tiffany				292
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
None		n/a			n/a			

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<b>1937</b>	<b>March 16</b> RES. 1093 ADPT. MAR 22	<b>Special Charter</b>	<b>3,821</b>	<b>1,311</b>	<b>34%</b>	<b>1,311</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>								
W. H. STANGER RESIGNS POSITION AS MAYOR AND SEAT ON CITY COUNCIL 2/25/37; R. J. DEININGER APPOINTED TO FILL THE COUNCIL VACANCY; W. H. TOLSON APPOINTED MAYOR								
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>		<b>Defeated</b>				
SHALL PROPOSED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE BE APPROVED AND RATIFIED?				No Yes		933 379		

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<b>1936</b>	<b>April 14</b> RES. 916 ADPT. APR 20	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>1,421</b>				
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
W. H. STANGER APPOINTED MAYOR 4/20/36		William H. Tolson	722		John M. Minor	475		
		Tom Forrest McGuire	524		Howard P. Raymond	460		
		George V. Powell	502		Frank E. Perkin	392		
					Carl E. Marsteller	279		
					Joseph M. Wright	264		
					William T. Klusman	197		
					Oliver B. Hamilton	77		
					Andrew E. Norman	65		
<b>Freeholders*</b>		<b>Elected: 15 Seats, 15 Candidates</b>						
*A COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW TO WRITE AND PROPOSE A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE		Robert Lessing	701	Charles E. Ackley	640	James Corbett	627	
		Raymond C. Young	657	Carleton B. Bell	633	Otto A. Kresse	627	
		Alden W. Smith	654	Irvin C. Rous	632	Selma C. Keefer	624	
		J. Orrin Bishop	646	Jane M. Burger	631	Jack O. Boyd	619	
		Charles A. Curtiss	642	William K. Adolph	630	James A. Obole	616	
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> SHALL EACH MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL BE PAID \$50.00 PER MONTH COMPENSATION?		Yes	691					
		No	541					

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1935	Sept 27 RES. 747 ADPT. SEP 30	Special		1,097				
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> SHALL THE CITY OF TORRANCE INCUR A BONDED INDEBTEDNESS ON THE PRINCIPAL SUM OF \$35,000.00 FOR THE ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION BY THE CITY OF TORRANCE OF A CERTAIN MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT, TO-WIT, THE ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY LAND THEREON TO CONSTRUCT AND THE CONSTRUCTION THEREON OF A <b>PUBLIC ASSEMBLY HALL</b> , INCLUDING THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFOR (ESTIMATED COST OF SUCH MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT IS \$57,000, AND 45% OF THE ACTUAL COST OF THE PUBLIC ASSEMBLY HALL BUILDING AND THE LAND NECESSARY THEREFOR IS TO BE PAID BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)?		Yes		744				
		No		241				
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 2:</b> SHALL THE CITY OF TORRANCE INCUR A BONDED INDEBTEDNESS ON THE PRINCIPAL SUM OF \$20,000.00 FOR THE ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION BY SAID CITY OF A CERTAIN MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT, TO-WIT, THE ACQUISITION OF THE NECESSARY LAND THEREON TO CONSTRUCT AND THE CONSTRUCTION THEREON OF A PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING, INCLUDING THE NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFOR (ESTIMATED COST OF SUCH MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT IS \$32,000, AND 45% OF THE ACTUAL COST OF THE <b>PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING</b> AND THE LAND NECESSARY WHEREON TO CONSTRUCT THE SAME IS TO BE PAID BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)?		Yes		769				
		No		222				
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 3:</b> SHALL THE CITY OF TORRANCE INCUR A BONDED INDEBTEDNESS ON THE PRINCIPAL SUM OF \$30,000.00 FOR THE ACQUISITION AND CONSTRUCTION BY SAID CITY OF A CERTAIN MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT, TO-WIT, A PUBLIC <b>FOR A CITY HALL AND JAIL</b> , INCLUDING ALL NECESSARY EQUIPMENT THEREFOR (ESTIMATED COST OF SUCH MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT IS \$48,000, AND 45% OF THE ACTUAL COST OF THE PUBLIC ASSEMBLY HALL BUILDING AND THE LAND NECESSARY THEREFOR IS TO BE PAID BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)?		Yes		747				
		No		243				



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<b>1934</b>	<b>April 9</b> RES. 619 ADPT. APR 16	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>3,419</b> <b>?</b>	<b>1,843</b>		<b>1,839</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.22%</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>	<b>For Full 4 Year Term</b>		<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
E. C. CONNOR RESIGNS COUNCIL SEAT AND POSITION AS MAYOR 2/6/34. S. LUDLOW APPOINTED MAYOR.  W. STANGER APPOINTED TO FILL COUNCIL VACANCY 2/13/34  S. R. LUDLOW REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/16/34		William H. Stanger James E. Hitchcock	924 872		Beverly B. Smith 551 John V. Murray 540 Thomas J. Wilkes 289 John E. Williams 111 Joseph M. Wright 94			
		<b>For Unexpired Term of Earl C. Conner</b> William H. Tolson	806		Robert F. Lessing 503 Louis W. Simmons 238 Lloyd C. Conner 205			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett	1,221		Alfred Gourdier 322 Charles A. Curtiss 150 Harry W. Beach 90			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Harry H. Dolley	634		Benjamin F. Townsend, Sr. 370 E. N. Tomkins 334 Fanny C. King 241 W. E. Bowen 200			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> PAY EACH MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL \$25.00 PER MONTH COMPENSATION					No 834 Yes 781			
<b>PROPOSITION NO. 2:</b> CREATE A CIVIL SERVICE BOARD AND PLACE FIRE AND POLICE UNDER ITS CONTROL		Yes No	1,026 584					

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Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1932	April 11 RES. 527, 528 & 529 ADPT. APR 18	General Municipal		2,300				
Councilmember					Elected		Candidates Not Elected	
W. T. KLUSMAN APPOINTED MAYOR 4/19/32					For Full 4 Year Term		John Dennis 788	
					Scott Ludlow 1,418		Thos. J. Wilkes 726	
W. T. KLUSMAN REMOVED AS MAYOR BY FELLOW COUNCILMEN 9/26/33; E. C. CONNOR APPOINTED MAYOR TO FILL VACANCY BY 4-1 VOTE, KLUSMAN VOTING NO.					Wm. T. Klusman 1,327		Rev. Matthew F. Cameron 511	
					Earl Conner 863		R. R. Smith 370	
							G. L. Morris 239	
					For Unexpired Term of Edward G. Nelson		Carleton B. Bell 653	
					J. M. Wright 944		Richard V. Roelofs 352	
Measure					Passed		Defeated	
SHALL PROPOSED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE BE APPROVED AND RATIFIED?					No 1,346			
					Yes 574			
SPECIAL REFERENDUM BALLOT								
Measure					Passed		Defeated	
SHALL ORDINANCE NO. 230, REPEALING ORDINANCE 139 ESTABLISHING A PROPERTY TAX OF 10¢@\$100 VALUATION BE UPHELD?					No 1,093			
					Yes 996			
SHALL ORDINANCE NO. 231, REPEALING ORDINANCE 139 AND ESTABLISHING A NEW PROPERTY TAX OF 5¢@\$100 VALUATION BE UPHELD?					No 1,067			
					Yes 1,055			

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Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
1931	June 9 RES. 499 ADPT. JUN 15	Special Consolidated	3,262					
Freeholders*		Elected					Not Elected	
*A COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED UNDER CALIFORNIA LAW TO WRITE AND PROPOSE A CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF TORRANCE		J. S. Lancaster 562	C. T. Rippy 512	F. R. Leonard 462	G. C. Whyte 398			
		H. S. Wood 555	C. L. Hyde 484	R. W. Page 443	E. Z. Maxwell 388			
		R. L. Deininger 519	G. J. Peckham 473	C. Collins 435	S. Levy 365			
		C. E. Connor 515	F. L. Parks 470	G. L. Mowry 426	T. Cassidy 316			
		J. W. Post 514	C. M. Howard 464	S. R. Ludlow 424	F. Spoon 305			
					D. Spurlin 281			
					Gilliam 1			
					H. Barber 1			
					W. Klusman 1			
					Snodgrass 1			
Measure		Passed			Defeated			
BOND PROPOSITION: ACQUIRE, CONSTRUCT & COMPLETE PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes	607		
					No	479		

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1931</b>	<b>May 26</b> RES. 497 ADPT. JUN 1	<b>Annexation</b>		<b>148</b>		<b>148</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>SHALL SOUTH TORRANCE BE ANNEXED TO THE CITY OF TORRANCE?</b>		Yes	108					
		No	40					

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1931</b>	<b>February 21</b> RES. 488 ADPT. FEB 24	<b>Special</b>	<b>2,587</b> <b>(3,266) ?</b>	<b>361</b>				
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>SHALL THE CITY OF TORRANCE JOIN THE METROPOLITAN WATER DISTRICT?</b>		Yes	317					
		No	44					

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<b>1930</b>	<b>September 25</b> RES. 474 ADPT. SEP 29	<b>Special</b> Act of 1927 Municipal Improvement District No 1 Bond Election		<b>1,532</b>		<b>1,532</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION:</b> ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT A WATER PRODUCING AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>		Yes	1,364					
		No	168					



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<b>1930</b>	<b>April 14</b> RES. 461 ADPT. APR 21	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>2,189</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>1,077</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Councilmember</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
C. M. INMAN RESIGNS 3/15/29. G. A. R. STEINER APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 4/2/29. G. A. R. STEINER RESIGNS 5/6/29. C. E. RAYMOND DIES 5/13/29. E. C. NELSON APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY OF G. A. R. STEINER 5/21/29. G. A. R. STEINER APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY OF C. E. RAYMOND 5/28/29 JOHN DENNIS REAPPOINTED MAYOR 4/21/30 G. A. MAXWELL RESIGNS 9/3/30. R. R. SMITH APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 9/29/30		<b>For Full 4 Year Term</b> Gustave A. R. Steiner 698 Edward C. Nelson 655			William T. Klusman 471			
		<b>For Unexpired Term of Charles E. Raymond</b> Carlton B. Bell 810			Albert S. Daniels 5 Albert J. Daniels 3			
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett 761			Richard F. Hogue 289			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Harry H. Dolley 917			None			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>PROPOSITION:</b> SHALL EACH MEMBER OF THE CITY COUNCIL RECEIVE \$50.00 PER MONTH COMPENSATION?					No 495 Yes 481			

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<b>1928</b>	<b>April 9</b> RES. 356 ADPT. APR 16	<b>General Municipal</b>		<b>2,295</b>		<b>2,295</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>City Trustee</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
T. F. FOLEY RESIGNS 5/16/27. C. E. RAYMOND APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 6/7/27  W. M. BROOKS RESIGNS 7/5/27; E. C. CONNOR APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY  JOHN DENNIS REAPPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 4/16/28. HE IS ADDRESSED AS "MAYOR".		John Dennis 908 G. A. Maxwell 835 Charles E. Raymond 803			William T. Klusman 368 G. L. Morris 308 William F. Horton 248 Samuel S. Worrell 248			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1926</b>	<b>August 27</b> RES. 298 & 300 ADPT. AUG 28 & 30	<b>Special</b>		<b>553</b>				
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
SHALL ORDINANCE NO. 139 ESTABLISHING A PROPERTY TAX OF 10¢@\$100 VALUATION BE UPHELD?		Yes 355 No 198						

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<b>1926</b>	<b>April 12</b> RES. 284 ADPT. APR 19	<b>General Municipal</b>	<b>1,345</b>	<b>1,151</b>	<b>86%</b>	<b>1,151</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>City Trustee</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
JOHN DENNIS APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 4/19/26  J. S. TORRENCE RESIGNS 2/23/26. J. W. POST APPOINTED 4/5/26; SERVES UNTIL 4/19/26  R. R. SMITH RESIGNS 4/19/26; T. F. FOLEY APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY		<b>For Full 4 Year Term</b> Charles M. Inman 713 Andrew B. Wolfe 643			William T. Klusman 593          Charlott G. Zahradnik 402			
		<b>For Unexpired Term of J. S. Torrence</b> John Dennis 620						
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett 875			None			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Harry H. Dolley 906			Lindsey B. Kelsey 1			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
None		n/a			n/a			

Year	Date	Type	Registered	Total Voting	% Turnout	Regular ballots	Absentee Ballots	% Absentee
<b>1924</b>	<b>April 14</b> RES. 173 ADPT. APR 21	<b>General Municipal &amp; Bond</b>	<b>unknown</b>	<b>850</b>				
<b>City Trustee</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
RICHARD R. SMITH APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 5/5/24		<b>For Full 4 Year Term</b> J. S. Torrence (sic) 664 Willis M. Brooks 651 Richard R. Smith 650			Lee R. Taylor 242 George R. Steadman 241 Charles Elman 160			
ROBERT J. DEININGER APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 4/6/25		<b>For Half 2 Year Term</b> <b>(Remainder of Nash's Full 4 Year Term)</b> Robert J. Deininger 647			William T. Klusman 226			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION:</b> ACQUIRE & CONSTRUCT A CITY HALL 2/3 VOTE REQUIRED					Yes 553 No 297			



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<b>1922</b>	<b>April 10</b> RES. 52, 53, & 54 ADPT. APR 17	<b>General Municipal &amp; Special Bond</b>		<b>592</b>		<b>592</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>City Trustee</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
JAMES M. FITZHUGH APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 4/17/22		<b>For Full 4 Year Term</b> Edwin H. Nash 419 James M. Fitzhugh 415			William T. Klusman 274 John R. Winters 227 Carl Hyde 1 Chas. Stock 1 B. L. Getman 1			
WALLACE H. GILBERT APPOINTED PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES 4/17/23		<b>For Half 2 Year Term</b> Joseph F. Stone 412 Wallace H. Gilbert 361 George Alphy Proctor 340						
J. S. STONE RESIGNS; R. R. SMITH APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY 10/16/23								
E. H. NASH RESIGNS 11/20/23. F. A. ZELLER APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY, 12/18/23, UNTIL ELECTION 4/12/24								
<b>City Clerk</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Albert H. Bartlett 307			Harrison C. Gardner 205 Frank B. Unks 40			
<b>City Treasurer</b>		<b>Elected</b>			<b>Candidates Not Elected</b>			
		Harry H. Dolley 517			None			
<b>Measure</b>		<b>Passed</b>			<b>Defeated</b>			
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 1:</b> IMPROVE ARLINGTON AVE., CARSON ST., MARCELINA AVE., AND EL PRADO ST. <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>		Yes 441 No 121						
<b>BOND PROPOSITION NO. 2:</b> ACQUIRE LAND AND ERECT A SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM <b>2/3 VOTE REQUIRED</b>					Yes *386 No 164 * PASSAGE INTERPRETED TO REQUIRE 2/3 OF 592, NUMBER OF ALL BALLOTS CAST			

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1921	APRIL 19, 1921	LOS ANGELES COUNTY	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
City Trustee		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
G. A. PROCTOR APPOINTED 1 <sup>ST</sup> PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MAY 16, 1921		Richard R. Smith Joseph Stone Wallace H. Gilbert George A. Proctor James Fitzhugh			TBD			
City Clerk		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Robert J. Deininger			TBD			
City Treasurer		Elected			Candidates Not Elected			
		Harry H. Dolley			TBD			
Measure		Passed						
Incorporation of City of Torrance		BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING APRIL 25, 1921 IN MINUTE BOOK 75 PAGES 227-233 (election numbers to be located)						

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